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vanni and four children and C. For-
dan

Kamaainas Expected.

It is rumored around town that the
Hongkong Maru due today is to bring
two kamaainas home who are of es-
pecial interest in Honolulu. It is ex-
pected that Chief Justice Judd will be
a passenger and news may come of the
appointment of his successor. Liliu-
okalani it is reported, may be a pas-
senger, but there is no absolute cer-
tainty of this. She has intended re-
turning to Honolulu for some time
leaving her claims before Congress in
the hands of her friends in Washington.
The Maru will bring news of eight days
from the world

COUNCIL OF STATE

Court of Claims Takes
A Back Seat.

THE SALARIES CUT DOWN

Councilor Jones Wants a New Public
Works Superintendent—Fire-
men Get Extra Pay.

(From Thursday's Daily)

The special committee of the Council
of State to which was referred Special
Act No. 7, covering items of expense
for the organization of the Court of
Claims sprung a mild sensation on the
Executive Council, by bringing in a
report criticising the appointments
made by the Executive Council, and
state that they "do not see the logic
of the appointment of five lawyers."
The committee does not mince matters
in any respect, and in reality strikes
direct from the shoulder. Their ultima-
tum is that the commissioners shall
work not nominally, but shall put in 4
hours each day, and instead of receiv-
ing \$10 per diem, their salary shall not
be more than \$5 a day. One stenog-
rapher is enough for the court so the
committee thinks, and instead of be-
lieving that \$20,000 should be appro-
priated, it has recommended that the
amount be cut down to \$8,250. Business
men for the Court of Claims, seems to
be the keynote of the committee's re-
port.

Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday after-
noon President Dole rapped for or-
der and Secretary Manson reported the
following Councilors present: Kenne-
dy, Isenberg, Gear, Robinson, Kaulu-
kou, Nott, Robertson, Gonsalves, Al-
len, Achi, Jones, Bolte and Ministers
Mott-Smith, Young, Damon and At-
torney General Cooper.

The minutes of the preceding meet-
ing were read and adopted after some
slight corrections had been made.

Jones, as chairman of the committee
to report upon Special Act No. 7, for
expenses Court of Claims read the fol-
lowing report:

Criticizes the Appointments.
Honolulu, April 4th, 1900
To the President and Members of the
Council of State
Your committee to whom was referred
Special Act No. 7, viz
Pay of commissioners, officers
of court and incidentals \$15,000 00
Department of Attorney General—
Pay of Council for the Gov-
ernment \$ 5,000 00
5 commissioners at \$10 a day
1 clerk at \$150 per month
2 stenographers at \$125 per month
3 interpreters at \$5 a day
1 janitor and messenger \$40
per month

Council for Government \$500 retainer
fee, \$7 for each case adjudicated up-
on its merits. Think that the Act is
referred to them, not only for the
purpose of considering the
amount of money to be appropri-
ated for the remuneration and
expenses of the Court of Claims, but
also for the expression of a general
opinion on the subject matter. Your
committee therefore state that as the
minutes of the meeting of the Council
of State of January 22, 1900, show, that
at that meeting, President Dole an-
nounced to the Council, that it was
his intention to have most of the mem-
bers of the Court of Claims, to be busi-
ness men, they fail to see the logic of
the appointment of five lawyers.

Furthermore your committee think
that a Court of Claims consisting of
not less than three business men would
not only be more satisfactory to the
taxpayers of these Islands, but would
also be able to handle all matters
brought before it more expeditiously, as
such a Court consisting mostly of busi-
ness men would have more the char-
acter of a Court of Equity and the in-
imate knowledge of the members of
the Court, of locations values and other
circumstances would render un-
necessary much of the lengthy exami-
nations of witnesses required for every
case in a Court of Law. By the ex-
ecutive order of President Dole dated
April 2, 1900, the Court has the title of
Court of Claims for losses caused by
the Board of Health in the suppression
of Bubonic Plague, which your com-
mittee presumes to mean Court of
Claims for losses caused throughout the
group whilst the preamble of the order
and the text of the order seem to con-
fine the Court to take evidence and to
make awards and judgments only on
losses caused by the burning of China-
town. President Dole has explained this
and has stated that upon further
instructions from President McKinley,
this apparent inconsistency, will prob-
ably be removed.

Your committee will not express any
opinion on the text of the order gov-
erning the proceedings of the Court of
Claims unless so instructed by this
Council.

Your committee understand that the
commission already appointed is to act
for six months and they have allowed
one hundred and fifty days of that time
to be consumed by the Court in hear-
ing claims that will be presented to
them for consideration.
During that time it is hardly probable
that the entire day will be consumed
by the members of the Court in consid-

ering claims, so that much of the time
will be at the disposal of the members
for their private business.

Your committee do not at each to this
Court of Claims, as at present advised,
the importance that some do, for in
case they allow any or all of the claims
for damages they must be referred to
the Council of State, or to the next
Legislature for final action and the
committees to whom these claims will
be referred for investigation will ex-
amine each one carefully before recom-
mending its payment.

Your committee think that the total
expense of the Legislature of 1898 was
\$28,562.14 while the Council of State
is asked to appropriate \$20,000 for this
Court of Claims, or about 70 per cent
of the cost of the Legislature, in which
city men were employed and rendered
valuable service to the Government, be-
sides which large expenses were in-
curred for reports, printing and other
important matters.

Your committee would also call atten-
tion to the fact that many of our citi-
zens have given their services gratis
in helping to put down the bubonic
plague which has been among us during
the last four months. Among others
who have given their services are the
members of the Board of Health and the
Finance Committee appointed to as-
sist the Board of Health, all of whom
are men who are loaded down with
responsibilities but have devoted sev-
eral hours every day for months in the
discharge of their duties, without
receiving one cent for their valuable
services nor do we deem it to be out
of place to allude to the labors of this
Council of State a body of busy men,
who are now called upon to make large
appropriations and are devoting many
hours every day to their duties with-
out any thought of compensation and
your committee is of the opinion that
there are patriotic and representative
men who can command the confidence
of the country at large who would be
willing if necessary to serve without
pay, on this Court of Claims.

As appointment has already been
made of the members of this commis-
sion your committee have carefully
considered the matter and recommend
the following:

5 commissioners at \$5 per day (not less than four hours service to be rendered for one day's pay)	\$8,750 00
1 clerk at \$150 per month	900 00
1 stenographer at \$125 per month	750 00
3 interpreters at \$5 per day	2,250 00
1 janitor and messenger at \$40 per month	240 00
Incidentals	360 00
	\$8,250 00

Your committee cannot advise the
payment of a retainer of \$500 and \$7 for
each case adjudicated, because it does
not seem to them to be advisable to
make an allowance for every case but
it appears to be more reasonable to
have the work performed for a fixed
sum especially as much of the work
should be performed by the Attorney
General and his paid assistants, your
committee would recommend
Council for Government to at-
tend to Claims, including
Retainer \$ 2,500 00
making the total appropria-
tion under this Act 10,750 00

Your committee would further recom-
mend that there be three readings on
this Act before its final passage, as all
other Acts now before the Council,
which are to be approved by President
McKinley

Respectfully submitted,
P. C. JONES,
M. A. GONSALVES,
C. BOLTE.

Was out of Funds.

Department of Interior,
Honolulu, H. I., April 3, 1900.
To Sanford B. Dole, President of the
Republic of Hawaii, and Members
of the Council of State:

In regard to the following claims
presented by John K. Pendergast, at-
torney for claimants, against the Koo-
laulua Road Board, viz:

1891, Payroll contracted by S. Kapua, chairman	\$231 75
1892 Payroll contracted by L. Aylett chairman	64 00
	\$295 75

I find that these payrolls have been
repeatedly presented to the Interior
Office for payment and on each occa-
sion claimants were informed that
there was no money in this office to
pay their claims, but if the Road Board
would recognize the debt the amount
could be paid from the District Road
Tax account to which account they
rightly belonged.

It appears that these payrolls were
not paid at the time when the work
was done, because at that time there
was no money left to the credit of
Road Tax for that district.

The succeeding Road Boards for this
district recognized that this work was
performed on the roads, but refused to
take any responsibility in the matter,
as the work was done prior to their in-
cumbency and therefore they declined
to draw on their Road Tax money for
this purpose. I am satisfied that these
claims are just and should be paid, but
the Interior Department has no con-
trol over the District Road Tax funds,
which are a special deposit in the
Treasury, subject to the draft of the
Road Board only. I therefore recom-
mend that an amount be inserted in
the bill to cover the above amount.

I have the honor to be your obed-
ient servant

ALEX. YOUNG,
Minister of the Interior

Achi moved Allen seconded that the
report be adopted. Carried.

Isenberg asked whether the Attorney
General was ready to report upon the
Federal law having reference to gov-
ernment towing. The Attorney Gen-
eral had not been apprised of the item
as yet and requested time in which
to have it laid before him.

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DEATH OF R. H. BAKER

Was an Heir of Island
Sovereigns.

ONCE MAUI'S GOVERNOR

His Body Will Lie in State and the
Funeral Will be a Royal
Function.

The death of Robert Hoapili Baker
which took place at his home in this
city (Pawaa) at 5 30 o'clock Wednes-



day afternoon, removes a man of dis-
tinguished ancestry and considerable
public service. Colonel Baker was a
direct descendant of King Liloa of
Hawaii, who ruled the island of the
volcano until the coming of Kameha-
meha the Great. This great grandfa-
ther Napuapahoehoe, was high chief
of Maui upon which Island the de-
ceased was born and of which he be-
came to the last years of the Kala-
kuanan dynasty the Royal Governor.
Robert Hoapili was the real name of
this distinguished native, Baker being
added in honor of the white man in
whose family he was reared. His an-
cestry was as noble as any of the
genealogical chains in these Islands
with the one exception of the Kame-
hameha line. It is as follows:

1. Liloa (k) noho la Akahikuleana
(w) loaa o Liloa
2. Liloa (k) noho la Kapula
(w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)
3. Kamehameha I (k) noho la Koi-
halani (w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)
4. Kamehameha I (k) noho la Kai-
kila (w) loaa o Keakealani (k)
5. Keakealani (k) noho la Kalei-
he (w) loaa o Moana (k)
6. Moana (k) noho la Pihani (w)
loaa o Hikiama (w)
7. Hikiama (k) noho la Hiki-
ama (w) loaa o Kahanaunani (k)
8. Kahanaunani (k) noho la Koi-
halani (w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)
9. Kamehameha I (k) noho la Koi-
halani (w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)
10. Kamehameha I (k) noho la Koi-
halani (w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)
11. Kamehameha I (k) noho la Koi-
halani (w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)
12. Kamehameha I (k) noho la Koi-
halani (w) loaa o Kamehameha I (k)

The body of Colonel Baker will lie
in state on Sunday afternoon between
2 and 4 o'clock at Milliani Hall, for-
merly known as Arion Hall. The fu-
neral will be a Royal one and inter-
ment will take place in Kawaiahaeo
cemetery. Services will be conducted
by the Reorganized church of Latter
Day Saints.

RAID TRANSIT MATERIAL
A Heavy Consignment of Material
Will Arrive in June.

The material for the Rapid Transit
Company which arrived in port a few
days since in the St. Katherine and not
by the ship Charles Moody as has been
reported. The material consisted only
of railroad ties. The biggest con-
signment of rail and steel material for
the laying of the road in general is
expected not sooner than the middle of
June. At the same time the company
expects the arrival of its power house
generators and motors together with
engine material.

Engineer Amweg says the first mat-
erial arriving will be put in place im-
mediately. If the building material is
not on hand when the generators ar-
rive the latter will be placed in posi-
tion without further delay. The lay-
ing of the track will continue through-
out the building of the power house and
planting of the engines and motors
will be in progress.

The Henry B. Hyde was sent from
Richmond, Va. to Honolulu to put
into the last berth of the new wharf
the remains of the late Governor. The
remains will be placed in the new
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GHASTLY FIND

Decomposed Body of a Stranger.

Killed Himself at "The Villa"—Body Identified as That of F. Peroutka of Minnesota.

(From Wednesday's Daily).

Frank Peroutka, a Scandinavian, was found dead in his room at the Villa on Port street yesterday about noon. His death was the result of a pistol shot presumably with suicidal intent as from the position of the body when found it appeared that deliberate preparations had been made by deceased before firing the fatal shot. The body was fully dressed and stretched out on the floor with a towel evenly folded and laid under the head. A thirty-two calibre Allen & Hopkins revolver with one chamber discharged was found by the dead man's side.

Peroutka came here from the Coast in the Mariposa in January. He went first to the California hotel and later to the Queen hotel. He took up his last abode on March 2nd when he paid his rent to the 2nd of the present month. The last time he was seen alive was on Thursday of last week when he complained of feeling ill. On Friday morning the chambermaid at the Villa attempted to enter Peroutka's room but found the door locked. Since then there had been a very foul smell noticed in the neighborhood of the locked room and E. M. Brown, who has the room next to where the body was found, broke open the locked door and discovered the body. It was very badly decomposed and had apparently been dead four or five days.

The police were notified and Deputy Marshal Chillingworth went to the scene and had the body removed to the morgue. Nothing in the room was disturbed. As the bed had not been slept on it is thought that the suicide took place on Thursday night. Mrs. Betters, who keeps the Villa, had not made any attempt to enter the room when she found it locked, as she thought the lodger was out of town.

The following jury were impanelled and taken to view the remains: Sam Kubej, J. H. Schnack, C. L. Clement, Fr. Goudie, W. E. Bivens and Charles Hyde. The inquest will be held today at 2 p. m. at the Deputy Marshal's office.

L. M. Presnal, who arrived here on the Mariposa along with Peroutka, says that the man had \$8,150 with him when he arrived. He had brought the money with him in bills and on exhibiting it had been told it would be safer to bank it. He took the money and going out was gone some time. On returning he stated that he had distributed the money among the three banks. With regard to the money, he stated that he had carried it on his person to save exchange.

During various conversations had with Presnal the suicide stated that he was a shoemaker by occupation; that he had a wife and daughter in Winona, Minnesota, whom he wanted to bring out here; that he had sold out a general store he had been conducting and had come here to invest the proceeds. Mr. Presnal also says that Peroutka said, in answer to a question as to his parentage, that he was a Scandinavian and a naturalized American. He was very much afraid of the plague and had met with some loss in an investment in sugar stock made soon after arriving here.

Among Peroutka's effects were some very fine clothes and a considerable amount of jewelry. He was a man who always appeared well and looked like a man of money. He was between 45 and 50 years of age.

DOWNING KILLED POAL.

Coroner's Jury so Decide at an Inquest Held Last Night.

The coroner's jury last night heard evidence in the case of the killing of George Poal by Charles Downing. Dr. Emerson testified that the cause of the native's death was a knife wound in the right breast, which penetrated the lung. He had made the autopsy at the Queen's Hospital with Dr. Cooper. Eleakala, one of the men stabbed in the scrape in which Poal got his death wound, testified to the facts being as already published in the Advertiser. Downing had threatened to "poke the knife" into him and had carried out his threat. But little liquor had been taken by the white man or natives. The verdict of the jury was that Poal had come to his death from a knife wound inflicted by Charles Downing. The preliminary hearing of the case is set for Thursday.

Health Board Meeting.

The Board of Health held a special meeting last evening at 7:30, with all members present. Dr. Garvin was also in attendance. The object of the gathering was the going over of the minutes of various meetings held since the outbreak of the plague in Honolulu. The work was not all finished last night; much has yet to be done. The only matter of business transacted was the making of Dr. Garvin the executive officer of the Board of Health at a salary of \$250 per month. Dr. Garvin will devote his whole time to his new duties.

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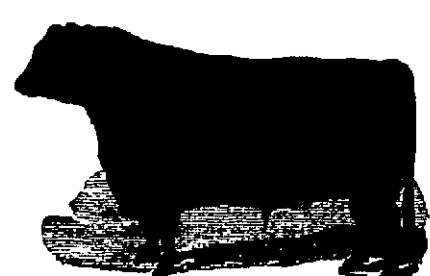
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